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**AMENDMENT**

Dear Examiner Gerrity:

Applicant respectfully requests the Office enter the supplemental amendments for the above identified application in response to the Final Rejection mailed on May 31<sup>st</sup>, 2007. Applicant contends that the Amendments are 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 compliant as they simplify the issues for Appeal.